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FRED R. HALL DECLARES GIRL CHARMED HIM Action On Muscle Shoals Delayed For Ten Days

SECRETARY LEAVES FOR HIS VACATION; BENTON SENDS WIRE HIS OFFER COMING

Second Telegram From Birmingham Resident Received Today by Weeks

NO DATE SET YET FOR THE FORD CONFERENCE

Government Experts Will Make Personal Inspection of the Dam

(International News Service)
WASHINGTON, August 19.—No action will be taken in the Muscle Shoals project by Secretary of War Weeks until after his return from a ten days visit to his home in New Hampshire, the Secretary stated today.
By that time the report, which Weeks has asked for from a group of government and civilian experts, who are studying the Ford offer, will have been completed and the Secretary expects then to be able to make an announcement on the subject.
Secretary Weeks today received a second telegram from a man named Benton in Birmingham, Ala., in which the writer stated that his formal offer for the Muscle Shoals property was about to be mailed.
In a previous telegram Benton had offered to take over the project on a 50-50 profit sharing basis. Some doubt has been passed on the seriousness of this offer as inquiries concerning the financial standing of Benton have shown that he apparently is not known in large financial circles.
No doubt has been set for the conference with Henry Ford.

It is understood that a large party of government experts soon will visit the dam and nitrate plants in person to get first hand figures and facts regarding the project.

DENY DEADLOCK IN PEACE PARLEY

(International News Service)
WASHINGTON, Aug. 19.—Vigorous denial of the reported deadlock in the German-American peace negotiations because of German's refusal to concede herself responsible for the world war were communicated by the state department today to Republican members of the senate foreign relations committee.
None of the senators in question would talk for publication, but privately they stated that they had received positive assurances from the highest state department officials that the negotiations are progressing satisfactorily toward a successful conclusion.

Following Premier Lloyd George's declaration in behalf of a tripartite agreement among Great Britain, America and Japan, Premier Massey, of New Zealand, spoke in favor of such a world peace compelling pact today.

ENGLAND WILLING
LONDON, August 19.—The suggestion that the far east and disarmament conference be transformed into a super peace conference to insure the future tranquility of the world is finding favor in Great Britain.
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Work on Bob Jones' Tabernacle
Will Begin Next Friday Morning
Don Cochran, manager of the Bob Jones union evangelistic campaign, will arrive here Saturday to attend a meeting of the executive committee to be held Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the Y. M. C. A., E. F. Ward, publicity chairman, announced today. The following are members of the committee: T. M. Dix, chairman, J. F. Lovin, vice chairman, Paul Morrison, secretary, Fred Bloodworth, treasurer, Clyde Hendrix, Rev. C. C. Davidson, Mrs. L. P. Troup, W. C. Nolan, C. E. Malone, Fred Hunt, E. F. Baird, R. L. Maury, Rev. G. C. W. Ker, W. R. McCluskey, Mrs. Fred Hunt, Mrs. O. J. Thomas, Rev. J. W. Curl and E. M. Lee. All local ministers were requested to announce the meeting from their pulpits Sunday morning.

PROTESTS AGAINST ASSESSMENTS ARE FILED BY ATTORNEY

Louisville and Nashville and Others to Fight Street Paving Costs, Judge John C. Eyster Announces

Protests against the assessments party, for paving made by the City of Albany against the Louisville and Nashville railroad were filed today by Judge C. Eyster, attorney for the company, with city officials.
Judge Eyster stated that additional protests would be filed during the day on behalf of other property owners, who deem the assessments, as made, out of proportion to the enhancement of the value of the property.
"There will be approximately 20 additional protests filed by me on behalf of other property owners," Judge Eyster stated. The petitions allege in all of the cases that the assessments are unreasonably high.
The city council will meet Tuesday night to hear the protests and if they are not approved, to make the assessments final. The assessments are being made on all of the street work already completed by the contractors.

MORRISON SAYS LOCKOUT PLOTS EXIST IN NATION

(International News Service)
WASHINGTON, Aug. 19.—Frank Morrison, secretary of the American Federation of Labor, today declared the nation-wide unemployment now prevailing is the most gigantic and wide spread lockout of wage earners in the history of the country.
"It's a lockout. You can't call it anything else," Morrison said. "It's a move against labor to starve it into submission, even if the country goes to ruin. If congress wants to know why approximately 6,000,000 workers are out of employment as the Secretary of Labor estimates, let it investigate the gigantic conspiracy to crush organized labor by financial interests, with a blood and iron policy that would do credit to the Kaiser and his crew."
"Rule or ruin is the slogan of these interests. They are cold bloodedly starving women and children and then intend to keep business depressed until they have the workers submitting to lower wages and working standards."

STATE TROOPERS GUARDING NEGRO

(International News Service)
NASHVILLE, Tenn., Aug. 19.—Adjutant General Philip Brumit left Nashville this morning for Knoxville to take personal charge of state police and two machine gun troops at the Knoxville jail to prevent possible mob violence against Frank Martin, negro, alleged attacker of a school teacher there.
State troops were deemed necessary because for more than a year past similar outrages have been perpetrated by an unidentified man who in each instance has escaped capture.
Martin is being held waiting identification by the young woman who is in a Knoxville hospital in a critical condition.

SPEAKER LYNNE URGES CITY TO ISSUE ITS BONDS

Speaker Lynne, prominent Decatur attorney, today issued the following statement urging the adoption of the \$100,000 school bond issue:
To the Voters of Decatur:
Our school laws properly require that every child, between certain fixed ages, must attend school. Therefore each child of school age is entitled to a seat in a school room for a full day's session each and every day of the school term.
We have failed to make provision for our children, and they are crowded into partitioned rooms, improperly ventilated and an age-worn building not designed for and totally unfit to comfortably house and properly educate the child.
The schools are for our children, not only our dearest possessions, but our most valued municipal asset, and they should be housed in buildings properly ventilated, heated and equipped, in short a fit place in which to live. We have long enough denied them, and we must no longer shirk our responsibilities and duties of citizenship.
We are all common shareholders in this corporation, and derive exceptional dividends from our schools. In order to proceed with the construction and improvement of our school buildings, it is necessary to issue bonds. Then, in order to market these bonds, we must convince the investor that his investment is not only a safe one now, but will continue to be safe during the life of the bond. Therefore, it is necessary to adopt a financial policy that will make our bonds attractive and acceptable to the bond buyer. Our plan is to issue bonds in the sum of one hundred thousand (\$100,000.00) dollars, maturing in twenty years, and bearing interest at the rate of six per cent. per annum, ie, Six thousand \$(6000.00) dollars per year. To take care of this indebtedness, principal and interest, we should vote a three (3) mills tax, which will net (estimated) nine thousand \$(9000.00) dollars per year. This will pay the interest and leave three thousand \$(3000.00) dollars each year to create a fund to pay the principal; this three thousand \$(3,000.00) dollars will accumulate interest through the years. This tax only amounts to one and 80/100 (\$1.80) dollars on each one thousand (\$1,000.00) dollars of property, market value, or fifteen \$(0.15) cents each month. Just about the price of a cigar or shoe shine. The assessable value of property is sixty per cent. of its market value.
Of course it will be unless to vote for the bond issue unless we vote for this tax, for no one will buy the bonds unless a means of payment is provided.
The people of Decatur are proud of their record. During the World War,

FOR FIRST TIME IN HISTORY OF COUNTY WOMEN SERVE AS ELECTION CLERKS

Decatur Citizens Will Vote Monday on Bond Issue for Schools

THREE MILLS TAX TO RETIRE THE PRINCIPAL

Bond Issue Would Cover Period of Twenty Years, According to Plan

For the first time in the history of Morgan County local women will serve as election officials when the citizens of Decatur vote Monday on the issuance of \$100,000 in bonds for the erection of a new school building and repair of the present structures.

Mayor James A. Nelson, in announcing the clerks today, stated that he had appointed Miss Ruby Jones as clerk of Box 1 (Courthouse) and Mrs. Raymond Brown as clerk of Box 2 (City Hall).

Other election officials, announced today by Probate Judge Troup include: BBox 1—S. E. Johnson, C. K. Lide and William Moseley, managers; J. V. May returning officer. Box 2—Z. Trimble, Oliver Wade and D. D. Burleson, managers; W. C. Bates, returning officer.

The plan of the backers of the school bond issue is to issue bonds in the sum of \$100,000, which amount, it is estimated, will be sufficient to care for the immediate and future needs of the schools for several years, being adequate to construct a new building and improve present ones. The bond issue would cover a period of 20 years and be retired by funds derived from three mills school tax. The new tax would net, it is estimated, about \$9,000. It is stated that this revenue would be sufficient to pay all interest charges on the bond issue and retire the principal.

REINFORCEMENTS WILL BE SENT BY ALLIES TO SILESIA

(International News Service)
PARIS, August 19.—The French today won a diplomatic victory over the British when announcement was made that the allies had agreed to send reinforcements to Upper Silesia.

According to the announcement France will send a brigade, Great Britain will send two regiments and Italy will send a battalion. Upon the adjournment of the supreme council a week ago it was stated that no reinforcements would be sent to Upper Silesia unless the allied commissioners there agreed that they were needed.

Charles Gunn Hurt When Horse Falls

Charles Gunn, 19-year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Gunn, of Prinity, who was painfully hurt when a horse he was riding fell on Johnson street Wednesday afternoon, was reported much improved today.
The accident occurred near the intersection of Johnson street and Second avenue. The horse slipped and falling, threw young Gunn several feet. He suffered painful bruises about the face and head.
No call was made on our patriotism that was not met. We went over the top on all occasions. An appeal now is made on the manhood and womanhood of our voters—an appeal to the best, the highest and holiest that is in us. We must not, We will not fail!
S. A. LYNNE

RECORD OF TWINS BROKEN AS MULES SHUT OUT LOCALS IN 7 TO 0 CONTEST

Hibbett Stops Albany-Decatur Wrecking Crew at Columbia Lot

TOTAL OF TEN HITS FAILS TO NET A SCORE

Joe Eaks Plays Short in the Absence of Manager McDuff

The record of the Twins is shattered into a couple of thousand pieces today. Hibbett stopped the locals yesterday without a run, the first time the Twins have been unable to cross the plate this season. The final score was 7 to 0.

A total of ten hits were gathered off Hibbett's offerings, but the Columbia hurler was unhit when hits were needed to produce markers. Lauderdale led the local attack with a trio of blows out of four attempts. McClain and Eaks also got two each.

Sells was nicked for 13 safeties by the Mules, including five doubles. The Mules scored in all but three innings and scored twice in a couple of stanzas.

In the absence of McDuff, the squad is in charge of Johnston. Eaks (Continued on Page 2.)

MIXED FEED RATE ORDERED REDUCED

(Montgomery Bureau, Albany-Decatur Daily)

MONTGOMERY, August 19.—Following closely its action in reducing rates on velvet beans and velvet bean products, the public service commission late Thursday issued an order requiring all railroads in Alabama to reduce their rates on mixed feeds. The order applies to all mixed feeds, whether intended for animals or poultry, and whether treated with black strap molasses or not or whether in bulk, barrels, bags or sacks and will cause an approximate reduction of forty per cent on every intrastate movement of the commodity.
All railroads were cited before the commission several months ago in its effort to set a fair transportation charge on this class of movement and the matter has been under advisement since that time. Under the new schedule the rates will be as follows: Seven miles and under five and one-half cents a hundred pounds, twenty-five miles ten cents a hundred, fifty miles twelve and one-half cents a hundred, one hundred miles seventeen and one-half cents, a hundred, one hundred and fifty miles twenty and one-half cents a hundred. Additional rates are prescribed for all shipments up to four hundred and forty miles, which is the longest mileage of an intrastate shipment in Alabama.

His many friends in the Twin Cities will be shocked by announcement of the death in Denver, Col., of T. Lee Carothers, news of which was conveyed here in a telegram received by John D. Wyker from Mrs. Carothers, who was with her husband, when he died yesterday at 6 o'clock.
Mr. Wyker will be notified when Mrs. Carothers will start from Denver with the body and regarding the funeral arrangements.
Mr. Carothers was about 60 years of age and left here 6 years ago. He was employed here in the Louisville and Nashville shops.

PROMINENT MAN GOES TO REWARD

Once more, the handsome show rooms of the Malone Coal, Grain & Motor company will take on a gala appearance somewhat resembling the good old days of the Automobile Shows, when on Saturday evening, Aug. 20, from 6 to 9:30 o'clock a special demonstration and exhibit of the Buick line will be staged by Major B. L. Malone and associates.
The two large lower rooms on the south side of the building will house the exhibit of thirty or more hand-

Wild Bull on Rampage Has Man Up a Tree

(Montgomery Bureau Albany-Decatur Daily)

MONTGOMERY, Ala., August 19.—A wild bull didn't invade a china shop in Montgomery yesterday but it did invade the sacred confines of the Carnegie library and the Masonic temple. This bull was en route to the slaughter pen but obtained his liberty from the halter and came to the business section. He selected the exclusiveness of South Perry street, the chief residential section, for his capers.
Crazed by the heat, the bull attacked several persons who happened to be in that section. He ran one fellow up a tree whose squirrel-like agility only saved him from contact with the animal. When employees of the union stock yards found the bull he had selected a dark, quiet spot which leads into the Masonic temple.

LAST WORD GIVEN IRISH ON PEACE, PREMIER STATES
(International News Service)
LONDON, August 19.—England's peace offer to Ireland, which Eamon De Valera has announced that the Sinn Fein will reject, is the government's final word and no further concessions will be made except in the way of rearranging details, Premier Lloyd George told the house of commons today in moving adjournment.
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WOOD MUST QUIT ARMY FOR OFFICE
(International News Service)
WASHINGTON, Aug. 19.—Major General Leonard Wood will have to resign from the United States army to become governor general of the Philippines as result of action taken by the house military affairs committee today. The committee tabled a resolution giving General Wood authority to maintain his army rank while head of the Philippine administration. Representative McKenzie said the action was taken without criticism of General Wood, but that it was felt it would establish a bad precedent.

MAY NAME POLK (International News Service)
WASHINGTON, Aug. 19.—Frank L. Polk, under secretary of state in the administration of Woodrow Wilson, is being considered by President Harding as possible chairman of the commission to negotiate a pulp wood agreement with Canada.

Malone Showrooms Will House Auto Exhibit Saturday, August 20
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RUSSELLVILLE MAN AVERS HE INTENDED TO OBTAIN DIVORCE AND MARRY MARTHA

Defendant on the Stand Alleges Slain Girl "Followed Him Everywhere"

ADMITS HE GAVE HER LARGE SUMS OF MONEY

State Rested Its Case Last Night—Defense Has In-ning Today

(International News Service)
RUSSELLVILLE, Ala., Aug. 19.—Fred Hall, prominent local merchant, charged with killing 28 year old Martha Henderson here last April, took the stand in his own defense here this morning. Hall admitted on the witness stand that he loved the Henderson girl, that she appealed to him and that he intended to obtain a divorce from his wife in order that he might marry Miss Henderson. Had not Miss Henderson "hung him," Hall declared that everything might have turned all right.
He explained, however, that the girl "followed him everywhere and visited him here and in Tusculumbia" at the risk of coming in contact with members of Hall's family.
Lettam alleged to have been written by Hall to Miss Henderson in peace offer to Ireland, which Eamon De Valera has announced that the Sinn Fein will reject, is the government's final word and no further concessions will be made except in the way of rearranging details, Premier Lloyd George told the house of commons today in moving adjournment.
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Hall declared that he felt himself becoming more and more infatuated with Miss Henderson each day and had determined that if he could not obtain a divorce from his wife he had decided that there was only one solution to the problem—death for himself and Miss Henderson.

Counsel for the state interposed several times while Hall was relating his story and inquired if it were not true that instead of Miss Henderson hounding Hall, the situation was not reversed. Hall said that he met the girl two years ago in Sheffield and that since that time he had met her in Birmingham, Tusculumbia, Nashville, Atlanta, New York, and other places.
He said that on several occasions he had given her large sums of money. Court adjourned for a short recess at noon and will convene again at 1:30 this afternoon.
Hall is expected to take the stand again at that time.
The state rested its case last night, after 13 witnesses had been placed on the stand. Several others were expected to testify but it was learned that they had left the state since the shooting.
The task of selecting the jury in the case of Hall was a hard one, as many related, many are sick, but the majority have fixed opinions and openly stated to the court that they could not try the case according to the evidence. Judge Almon took several to task about this later question, and stated that he did not see of understand how a man could get his mind in such shape that he could

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WAR INSPIRATION NEEDED

We would not call back the war—that glorious conflict belongs to the past. We would not seek to teach the lessons the war has left us; but if we could have the cooperation and inspiration of the war time ever with us, the tasks of the present and the future would be easy of accomplishment. If all classes and all sections of the country were united in a mighty effort for better business and greater progress, the pessimist and all his kind, would be silenced in less than a week's time. Our class and political differences would vanish, industry would revive and the whole nation would become one busy mart of trade. We must feel the need of war time cooperation, and seek war time inspiration, if we ever enter into triumphs of the future. We will never have this spirit, so much to be desired, by simply wishing for it. We must act upon our best impulses. We must make new ventures into new fields of accomplishment, if we ever get the strength and momentum necessary to overcome and eradicate certain conditions that have overtaken us. Naturally, following war time—a time of most strenuous effort, when the instinct of self defense was uppermost, there comes a disposition to take things moderately, and to live a life to too much ease. If we give way to obstacles, business stagnation must necessarily follow, and the wheels of industry will come too near a stand still. Peace should have its inspirations, just as much as the trying days of war. Because some seemed contented to take things easy, and to play a waiting game, is no reason whatsoever, why the country should lag or be weary in well doing. As there were no selfish or special interests dominant during the war, neither should selfishness or narrow considerations obtain at this time. There remains too much to do, and too little accomplished for any other than a spontaneous and vigorous effort to be put forth on the part of all classes and conditions of people. In this way the responsibilities of this period are just as great and pressing as were those who we were engaged in a life and death struggle against the Germans. The inspiration that should come to one and all now should arise from the many needs that confront us as a community, as a state and as a nation. We are sorely in need of better housing facilities, not only for families, but for the school children in the public schools. A large building program has been over due ever since the close of the war, and some way should be found to start a real live building campaign. When all interested in better things for the future unite in the war time spirit for reconstruction and larger development, we will go forward to triumph, just what we did during the years of warfare.

WOODROW WILSON, ATTORNEY IS READY TO BEGIN WORK

There must be very general satisfaction over the announcement that Former President Woodrow Wilson has sufficiently recovered his health and strength to be able to take an active part with his partner, Bainbridge Colby, in his legal practice.

Woodrow Wilson sacrificed his health for the sake of humanity. To save the world from German militarism, he gave of his strength until the breaking point was reached, and just when he was about to see the fruition of his efforts for making the world safe for the people thereof, he was stricken with an illness that lasted many months and left him broken in body. That he retained, even in his illness, the vigor of mind that had made him the foremost statesman of the world, was fortunate for America and for the world.

Press dispatches Wednesday announced that Mr. Wilson will take up actively the work he has mapped out in the legal profession. That he will retain his strength and meet with a full measure of success is the wish of everyone who is not prejudiced and unfair. Mr. Wilson as a private citizen still is a great man, one of the greatest the human family has produced. In history his achievements will be given the place they merit, and in his own day he should have the love and esteem of the people he worked so faithfully to serve.

Only narrow, selfish, bigoted people would be willing to discredit the great work Woodrow Wilson has done or wish evil to him in his efforts as a citizen.—Anniston Star.

WHY NOT A WOMAN IN HARDING'S CONFERENCE

Women of America have been given the vote. Their responsibility equals that of the men in the political conduct of the nation. They are being elected to offices that heretofore only men have filled. They are going to congress, or at least one of them is. They are being elected to county and state offices. There even are women judges.

The women have reached the point in their political advancement where they have a right to demand that they be accorded treatment as liberal in the public office business as the men receive.

The suggestion was made by The Star several weeks ago that the women of America are entitled to be represented by at least one delegate at the Washington disarmament conference.

That the women approve of the idea and are not going to be left out, if they can help it, is evidenced by the activity of their organizations in all parts of the country.

Ten million women comprise the membership of the organizations that have so fully acted in

favor of the proposition.

It is pretty hard to figure out how President Harding can resist this pressure, even if he wants to. And there is no good reason why he should want to.

But just to be sure women are given their dues, you might write a line to the White House today, saying something like this:

"Mr. President, I strongly urge you to name a woman on the disarmament delegation."—Anniston Star.

HUNTING TOGETHER

A picturesque aboriginal ceremony enacted on the shore of Penetang bay, Ontario, a few days ago exemplified the peace which is the heart's desire of mankind. Chiefs of the remnants of the once powerful Huron and Iroquois tribes met in a spirit of friendship for the first time in 271 years, smoked the pipe of peace, buried the hatchet and set off together on a hunt symbolical of their purpose henceforth to pursue the business of life in concord.

The feud that had lasted three centuries, all but three decades, began when the Iroquois braves vanquished the Huron warriors and drove that Indian tribe from their ancestral domain in what is now Ontario. Hurons and Iroquois have been bitter foes ever since; at least so tradition has it. Like so many other hereditary enmities the world around, it had been for long a futile thing and silly. But there it was, there it might have remained, as other cankers planted in human hearts ages ago and nourished by one generation after another to no respectable purpose, some day to goad its possessors to take to the warpath. Somebody thought the tercentenary celebration of the coming of Champlain to Ontario an appropriate occasion for bringing the hereditary foes together. In keeping with twentieth century concepts and ideals, the chiefs of the Iroquois and Hurons were reasonable. So the meeting was arranged. The red chieftains came in full regalia. The central feature of the primitive setting was a birch bark tepee in the shadow of which the peace was made.

"Now we go kill moose together," suggested the Huron to the Iroquois. Which may be construed to mean working in harmony for the welfare of their followers. Precisely this is what the peoples of the earth wish to do—work in concord to the common benefit. It can be done if the chieftains of nations whose skin is not red, but who too often see red, will but follow the example set by simple Indians at Penetang bay.—Pittsburg Gazette-Times.

WASHING DISHES

An Ohio man, suing for a divorce, complained among other things, that his wife made him help with the dishes.

The judge told him that it was a duty, nay, even a privilege, to be helpful in that way. This judge ought to get the vote of every woman in his circuit if he runs again.

Of all the drudgery that mother performs, there is none so trying as washing dishes three times a day. It is a job that everyone tries to run away from except mother. She sticks.

Surprise her this evening by going into the kitchen and offering to help.—Moulton Advertiser.

The "fifty-fifty" offer of Mr. Anonymous sounds like the "Cost-Plus" business once so popular down about Sheffield in the time of the war.

Common sense is enough as long as it lasts; but it takes so much of it.

The stinger is never an instrument of love—and a stinger carries poison. Use Cupid's darts and you can shoot fairly, and even if you have to send in, an unpleasant load of truth, there are no wounds that will not heal.

The person who repeatedly refuses to be funny, either can't, or else he is afraid his dignity will get tripped up.

It is to be hoped that members of the coming peace conference, will leave their war paint at home.

The prohibition laws should not be half so unpopular, if they were not enforced quite so often.

If women had been in politics from the beginning, it would have been useless to try to prevent publicity.

A person cannot be smart enough to dodge the fiery darts of the evil one; but he can be so big they cannot inflict a mortal wound.

The place to hit a ball is on the ground, on the other side of the fence.

An armless nation is apt to be a harmless one.

If go could only be put into the negotiations between the Irish and the English they might make a go of it. Go to work for instance; instead of so many wanting an office to go to!

\$200,000 dollars has been asked of Congress for the disarmament conference. At present writing, that would seem like a good investment.

As quoted in a Birmingham Daily, the anti-Ford offer to buy and operate the Muscle Shoals, speaks of a "farmer's pool." The reference doubtless being to the big pond that will be made by the Wilson dam, when it is completed.

Words are not thoughts; they are but the tools of thought. If you do not know how to use the pesky little things aright people will think you do not know how to think.

It has been suggested that the last "offer" was made by friends of Ford, so as to show Henry's as a big offer, by comparison.

Be soft hearted always; but soft headed, never!

ATHENS NEWS

English Wesleyan Body Receives Gift of Robe That Belonged to Founder of Methodism.

Miss Sarah Bandy, who recently returned from New York, left Sunday for Auburn to visit relatives, and will return August 21, preparatory to taking up her duties in the Agricultural School. Her host of friends in the town and county are rejoicing over her returning to the school.

Miss Madeline Dix, of Decatur, is visiting in the home of her cousin, Ernest Hine. She was the honored guest at a most enjoyable fish fry at Brown's Ferry Tuesday.

Miss Martha Minge, of New York, leaves Wednesday for middle Ala. to visit relatives. She has been in attendance at a most delightful house party given by Miss Elizabeth Hobbs, and will stop enroute at Birmingham.

Dr. McDaniel leaves this week for Milwaukee, Wis., to attend the National Dental Association which is to convene there. He will be absent about two weeks, taking his vacation in the lake region.

The many friends of Mrs. May Westmoreland are according her a warm welcome on her return, after an absence of almost a year in New York City.

The many friends of Miss Jen Walker, formerly of Athens, now of New York City, will be happy to know she is enjoying a month's vacation with her sister, Mrs. Rieves, and brother, Mr. John Walker, at Denver, Col.

A vote of thanks should be rendered to the efficient and untiring energy Commissioner Owen Black, who has by laying walks, cleaning, sodding and grading the Court House yard made it truly a place of beauty and attractiveness, and in keeping with the handsome building erected upon it.

Mrs. Hine's Sunday School class of boys, and a few girl friends, had an enjoyable moonlight supper at Brown's Ferry Wednesday, after spending the afternoon, boating, fishing and swimming. Miss Dix was an out of town guest.

Mrs. George Wood returned Wednesday, from a most pleasant week spent at Mont Eagle, Tenn.

Mr. Reeder and sister, of Florence, have been the guest of Athens friends for the past week.

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GOWN WORN BY JOHN WESLEY

English Wesleyan Body Receives Gift of Robe That Belonged to Founder of Methodism.

The Wesleyan Methodist Connection has just received from one of its leading laymen—a gown that belonged to the founder of Methodism, according to the London Daily News. John Wesley died in 1791, so that the garment is more than 130 years old.

Time has, of course, left its marks upon the gown. Some parts are discolored and others are worn and patched. The material is heavy, and upon it, worked in black, are flowers and prancing horses. As the great preacher was a little man, the gown must have hung about his heels.

It is claimed that the gown was a preaching gown, but it is very dissimilar to the ecclesiastical garment that, according to authentic records, John Wesley wore in the pulpit. This one possesses an ordinary sleeve, and, generally speaking, it seems to accord with the style of a black study-gown. The donor of the gown has also presented a pair of slippers belonging to Wesley. These are in good condition, and are of the kind that he would wear in his study.

Wesley, of course, traveled throughout Great Britain and Ireland in all weathers on his preaching tours, and it was suggested that he wore this heavy gown as a protection against atmospheric conditions.

The Wesley museum contains a large number of interesting relics of John and Charles Wesley. It possesses the study chair of John, and presently, as a gift from the donor of the gown, Charles Wesley's study chair will be placed there.

A large proportion of the visitors to the museum come from the overseas dominions and the United States, where the interest in all that relates to the early history of Methodism is very keen.

BLACKBIRD IN THRUSH'S NEST

Correspondent of Scottish Newspaper Calls Attention to Remarkable Incident He Has Observed.

Last week I discovered in the ivy on a sunk wall in my garden a nest, which had all the characteristics of a thrush's nest, with plastered lining only, and which contained two eggs, pale blue with small black spots—the eggs of a song thrush, writes a correspondent. Later on I noticed a bird sitting on the nest. Only the head was visible, but it appeared to me that the bird was a hen blackbird and not a thrush. It was some days before I found the bird off the nest, when on looking in, I discovered that the plastered lining of the nest had been slightly covered with dried grasses, and that the nest contained four blackbird's eggs—bluish green with mottled ends. The two thrush's eggs had disappeared. They could not be found at the foot of the wall below the nest, but there was found on a green above the wall the broken egg of a song thrush. When I discovered the nest part of its outer wall was slightly torn, as if a cat had climbed up the ivy and endeavored to claw out the bird then sitting. Is it possible that the thrush may have been scared away and the nest taken over by a blackbird and adapted to her requirements? None of my friends, versed in the habits of birds, ever heard of a similar case.—Edinburgh Scotsman.

People Generous With Tips. New York likes to refer to its spendthrift millionaires. The head waiter of a magnificent eatery told me that for the bountiful gratuity he preferred the visiting sod-buster to the son of a millionaire. The young man from Hoboken having his annual fling has read so much about huge tips that he thinks anything under a \$10 bill will be tossed back at him. The information volunteered by the head waiter came after a well-known spendthrift had departed with two young ladies. His dinner check came to \$25 and he gave the waiter \$2—the head waiter nothing. "And," continued the head waiter, "see that young fellow over there in the green suit with a large Adam's apple. He has been shucking off \$5 bills to every waiter in the place. And he gave me a half century note. I'm afraid his keeper will be along soon and make us give it back."—Exchange.

See Eve as Idealistic Woman. Most Italian women M they had their choice to be anything they wished in their sex, would rather be Eve, according to results of a vote recently taken by one of the Roman papers.

The argument advanced for being Eve was that she, of all women, had no competition. Her husband was never away from home and there was no other woman on whom he might cast an alluring glance.

Those who did not choose to be Eve chose for the most part to be Mary Magdalene, because, after being allowed to enjoy all the sins of the world, she was forgiven and afterward became a saint, thereby enjoying all joys of heaven.

Unearth Home of Cave Man. One of the most comprehensive of many finds of relics of prehistoric man in Austria has been discovered in a cave near Mixnitz. The cavern known as "Dragon's Den," is being excavated for enormous deposits of phosphate. In a side cave 1,000 yards from the opening, evidences of human occupation in ancient times were uncovered. Great quantities of quartz implements and other utensils and human bones have been taken out.

All Right With Sam. "Man," quoth Rastus, "if Ah just raise mah fist once at you and let it drop, youse gwine wah whateer melons, chickens and po'k chops blooms all de time." "Dat's de fast time Ah was evah threatened by pleasure," said Sam. "Let her drop."—American Legion Weekly.

Russellville Man Avers He Intended to Obtain Divorce

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not give the defendant a fair trial, according to evidence. A large number stated that they did not believe in capital punishment.

Sitting beside the defendant were his two little girls, and just behind him his two small sons and his wife, Mrs. Essie Hall. Two brothers, Herman and M. W. Hall, and his aged father were also present. The only members of the family absent being his aged mother and sister, who was staying at the Hall store.

No relations of Miss Henderson were present, and only the lawyers for the prosecution occupied the prosecution table.

List of Jurors

Following are the names of the 12 men selected to decide the fate of Fred R. Hall: Bud Byford, farmer, beat No. 5; Amos Hargett, ginier, beat No. 2; Arthur Johnson, farmer, beat No. 4; John W. Horton, farmer, beat No. 1; Clinton McCollum, farmer, beat No. 12; Leighton Thompson, farmer, beat No. 7; John J. Horton, farmer, beat No. 12; Clint J. Hale, farmer, beat No. 2; Sid Quinn, farmer, beat No. 4; William Hargett, farmer, beat No. 2; Fred Hooper, farmer, beat No. 3; Vester Mitchell, farmer, beat No. 4.

Out of 100 names drawn for jury duty in the Hall-Henderson case only 49 were qualified for service. A large number of witnesses failed to answer to their names, and the court ordered the sheriff to issue attachments for all witnesses not appearing in court for both the defense and the prosecution, if attorneys requested.

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Real Estate	9,732.50	Bills Payable	580,000.00
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THE STATE OF ALABAMA, MORGAN COUNTY

Dillehay-Putman & Company, vs. Robert D. Foster.—Before J. A. Thornhill, Justice of the Peace.

Before me, J. A. Thornhill, justice of the peace in and for said county on this 12th day of August, 1921,

came the plaintiff in the above entitled cause and it appearing that certain property of the said defendant has been levied upon, to-wit: All wages due the defendant by the Louisville & Nashville R. R. Company, by virtue of an attachment issued from my office returnable the 20th day of September, 1921, and that said defendant is a non resident of this state:

it is therefore ordered that said notice of attachment and the return there-of be given to the said Robert D. Foster by publication once a week for three successive weeks before the 20th day of September, 1921, in the Albany-Decatur Daily, a newspaper published in said county, and a copy thereof mailed to said defendant at his place of residence when known.

Given under my hand this 15th day of August, 1921.

J. A. THORNHILL, Justice of Peace

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Superstitions About Birds.

It has always been deemed unlucky by the superstitious to kill a robin or a swallow. In some lands the ill luck if the killing be accidental, is canceled if burial is given to the bird. Swallows are accounted sacred because they flew around the cross of Calvary.

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Record of Twins Broken as Mules

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took short yesterday in Mae's stead, while Shelton continued to perform at first.

Bachelor, who is slightly ill, was left behind by the team on the Tennessee invasion, but Bach may go to Columbia today if his health is improved.

The box score follows:

Albany-Decatur AB. R. H. PO. A. E.

Lewis, rf. 5 0 1 0 0 0

McClain, cf. 4 0 2 2 0 0

Eaks, ss. 4 0 2 2 4 1

Carter, lf. 4 0 1 1 0 0

Shelton, lb. 3 0 1 11 0 0

Gilliland, 2b. 2 0 0 4 3 1

Lauderman, 3b. 4 0 3 4 3 0

Johnston, c. 4 0 0 0 1 1

Sells, p. 4 0 0 0 1 1

Total 34 0 10 24 12 4

Columbia AB. R. H. PO. A. E.

Klein, lf. 4 1 3 1 0 0

Lee, ss. 5 1 1 2 4 0

Flowe, cf. 5 1 1 3 0 0

Baker, 2b. 5 2 3 4 1 0

Zemek, 3b. 3 0 0 2 3 0

Freeman, lb. 2 0 1 7 0 0

Huxley, rf. 4 1 3 2 1 0

Smith, c. 4 0 0 6 1 0

Hibbitt, p. 3 1 1 0 3 0

Total 35 7 13 27 13 0

Score by innings:

Albany-Decatur 000 000 000-0

Columbia 211 010 02-7

Summary—Two base hits, Klein, Lee, Baker (2), Huxley; Sacrifice

hits, Lewis, Klein, Zemek, Freeman; Stolen bases, Lewis, Huxley, Hibbitt;

Pitching record: struck out by Hibbitt 5, bases on balls, Sells, 2; Hibbitt, 1; hit by pitched ball, Hibbitt, 1;

Left on bases, Albany-Decatur, 9; Columbia, 9; Time of game, 1:50.

Umpire Lauzon.

DOES AWAY WITH ALL PAIN

Remarkable Anesthetic May Soon Be Employed in Delicate Dental Surgical Operations.

A coal-tar chemical for the elimination of all pain in dental surgical operations, simple of application and suitable for repeated and universal use in oral surgery, according to the Scientific American, is announced by Dr. Joseph A. Klein of New York city.

This new chemical is liquid in form, is applied on a pellet of cotton to the gum or mucous membrane surrounding the tooth to be anesthetized or into a cavity prior to excavation where a tooth is to be filled or treated. It produces complete local anesthesia in from two to eight minutes and eliminates all feeling for from one to six hours.

Doctor Klein has extracted teeth and pulps painlessly by the use of this chemical. Its effect is entirely local, so it may be applied with perfect safety, regardless of the patient's age or general physical condition, and it is particularly valuable as an anesthetic in the extraction of children's teeth. It leaves no disagreeable after-effect, but because of its long period of activity gives the nervous system ample time to recover from the shock of operation before the nerves in the area of the operation regain their normal feeling or activity.

Australia's Geographic Position.

Australia's exact position on world maps, originally determined by Captain Cook, the early explorer, was brought into question recently when wireless authorities, after direct checking by radio with standard time clocks at Lyons, France, said they believed there is an error of perhaps 100 yards on all maps in Australia's north-south lines.

Seafarers who first sketched Australia's position based their calculations on the chronometer, the finely made watch which keeps Greenwich time. Corrections were made from time to time, until final checking by cable was believed to be accurate.

Lately, however, Sydney wireless men who have been listening to the clock ticks at Lyons, say they have discovered there is a perceptible loss of time in transmitting the correct seconds over the cable. The loss, it is said, led to errors in map-making.

Five Chinese Virtues.

There are always five buttons on the Chinaman's coat to remind him of the five virtues recommended by Confucius: Humility, justice, order, prudence, rectitude.

ENGLAND STUDIES PROBLEM OF HER TWO MILLION FEMALE SURPLUS, SAYS NORTHCLIFFE

(Written by MARGERY REX for the International News Service)

NEW YORK, Aug. 19.—Must two million women remain forever single?

In England today there is that number of "superfluous" women, the dearth of men occasioned, of course, by the great war.

What is the best answer to England's woman problem then?

Lord Northcliffe, famous British publisher, brings up the subject when a girl writer visits him in search of an idea for a syndicate story.

"Tell your chief to find out what's to be done with two million superfluous women we now have in England," he replies without an instant's hesitation.

"We have that many more women than men," he continues. "That should interest everybody. I'd like to have such a story myself."

Far be it from us to insist that young England ladies emigrate here and marry our extra male population, although there is a sufficient number of men to provide husbands for all the women in this country and for the "superfluous" British girls, too.

Census statistics for 1920 show there are now 107 men for every 100 women in the United States.

Latest available figures on population announce a surplus of 2,692,288 males over females and a surplus of males, over twenty-one, to exceed by 2,443,397 the number of females over the same age.

Some of Solutions Offered

But there are various solutions offered for England's problem by representative American women:

Emigration to countries where men are still at large.

Women making of themselves such excellent matrimonial material as to lure men from other countries.

Vicariously satisfying the maternal instinct by caring for the youth of the country, sons and daughters of women who have found husbands.

And the belief that there is a mate for every one and not finding him woman is better off alone!

Hailing the surplus of femininity in England as a great stronghold for the nation, Mrs. Olive Stott Gabriel, lawyer, does not think England has a serious problem in this predominance of women.

Big Asset, Says Mrs. Gabriel

"Two million women in any country are an asset, not a liability," asserts Mrs. Gabriel.

"Women are the equals of men in any capacity politically, economically and constructively—I refer to the reorganization of any country after a war."

"The trouble with the majority of men is that they look upon women not as human beings, but as inferior bits of creation by means of which they may exploit themselves."

"But what of the human side of the

problem, the almost absolute certainty that these women can never marry?" Mrs. Gabriel was asked.

"That's what I mean," she replied. "Men think of women only as husband-hunters. Men trouble much more about what women want than women do."

"Under modern conditions I think women marry to have the right sort of children, to bring them up with the best ideals."

"Women don't wed for meal tickets any more. Few women wish to marry unless they meet the right man. Yes, I am a great believer in the theory of getting the 'right one.'"

"I believe there is a true mate for every one of us, and women nowadays want him or don't want to get married at all."

Mrs. Raymond Brown's Opinion

Mrs. Raymond Brown, prominent suffragette and managing director of the Women Citizen, a suffrage organ, does not think the "eternal maternal" should be wasted.

"Two million extra women!" Mrs. Brown exclaimed. "England is rich indeed."

"Women, married or not, have the mother instinct."

"If this maternal quality is not expended on her own children, woman may help her country all the more."

"Economically, woman can earn her own living. She always has, in some way or other."

"I think the two million women could help the children of England. We can never have too much of the mother instinct, whether it is given to the family or to the country."

Miss McCormick for Emigration

Emigration to England's wide, dominions might solve the problem. Miss Helen P. McCormick, Assistant District Attorney of Kings County, holds this opinion:

"The first aspect of the question at present is the economic phase of it. After all, if women are provided means of support, the problem is not so dangerous."

"The human side is not pre-eminent at present, it seems to me."

"If women are well provided for economically, men could be easily induced to go to England and take them for wives."

"With all England's dominions, her outlying provinces, she is not devoid of destinations to which she may send, if they wish to go, her single women."

"Let a commission be appointed. Let England aid her superfluous women to go to Canada, Australia and New Zealand."

"Where there are enough men for the women, nature will take care of the human side of the problem."

"In the far-off possessions of Great Britain, surely, there are lonely, helpless men who would welcome wives. It is also cheaper to support a wife than to hire a housekeeper."

"There would be little 'overhead' expense connected with the expedition. The Government should give adequate attention to the problem of its women."

"England must never forget what her women did in the great war. Sufficient thought should be given to these superfluous women."

"Woman's value is realized now as never before. If a country denies its women today it runs the risk of being ungrateful."

Miss Scheidermann's Question

But what Miss Rose Scheidermann, head of the Women's Trade Union League, wants to know is:

"Why does England differentiate women from men? Why ask what to do with two million women any more than what to do with two million extra men? Would a country worry about its extra men? No! Then why worry about the women? Let the thing adjust itself."

A hard situation, nevertheless, hard for the women themselves. Every woman likes to believe that home, husband and children will be her lot some time in life; and likewise that, should she elect to live a life other than the domestic one, she "could have married if she wanted to."

Between the woman who must be single and the one who chooses to be single there is a world of difference.

Obviously this great number of women must be single not from

choice, but from necessity, since 666 quickly relieves Constipation, Bilpolygamy is a habit not in good stand- lousness, Loss of Appetite and Head- ing in civilized countries today . aches, due to Torpid Liver. (Adv.)

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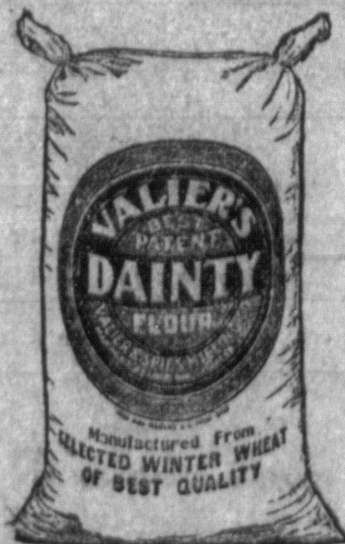


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by call a special session of the leg-
islature to submit again to the voters
of Alabama the road bond amendment
and the soldiers poll tax amendment
are to be voiced in resolutions now
under preparation by a committee
of the Farmers Union, who are in
annual convention here today. It is
expected that the resolutions will be
adopted when they are presented.

Charles S. Barrett, national presi-
dent, criticized farmers today for
their failure to cooperate better. "I
have no patience for the man who
talks about the farmer being oppres-
sed. It's the farmers own fault if
he is oppressed," Mr. Barrett said.

TWO ARE FINED

One defendant was fined \$6.00 in
the Albany police court this morning
on a charge of obtaining property un-
der false pretense. Another defen-
dant was fined \$11.00 on a charge of
drunkenness.

Where the Grouch Errs.

All that the grouch needs to do is
to get in step with his fellows. All
that ails him is that he is trying to
keep step with himself and make
everybody else come to time with him,
and no man ever was big enough to
do that yet.—Exchange.

Universal Reason.

She was old and gray and was fish-
ing in a little pond near her house.
I asked: "Well, Auntie, what are you
catching?" She said: "I ain't catch-
ing nothin'. 'Tain't nothin' in hyer to
catch." "What are you fishing for?"
I asked. She said: "Caze hit's
handy."—Wynne (Ark.) Progress.

SOME NOVELTIES OF SOUND

Really Curious Phenomena That Have
Come Under the Observation
of the Physicists.

If, when the air is still, you stand
near a high wall and speak a word
loudly, it will come back to you as if
repeated by an invisible person. It is,
of course, an echo.

Parallel walls separated by a few
hundred feet, as in a canyon, may so
reflect a sound as to cause it to be dis-
tinctly heard again and again in a
long-dying series of repetitions.
If the reflecting walls are irregular,
the repetitions, instead of being dis-
tinct to the ear, will be mere jumbled
and unintelligible reverberations. This
is noticeable in certain caverns.

Prof. W. J. Humphreys, an eminent
physicist, describes a curious phenom-
enon which he calls an "acoustical
mirage," sounds uttered at a distance
on the surface of the earth seeming to
come from high in the air. Such an
uplifting of sound (corresponding to
the uplifting of a landscape by a vi-
sual mirage) may occur when a stratum
of warm air at the surface is over-
laid by cooler air. The sound travels
faster at the top, and so appears to
come from aloft.

A balloonist can often hear the
earth-echo of his own voice when he
cannot, by shouting, gain the attention
of people standing on the ground be-
low him. It is because he—at an alti-
tude of fifteen hundred feet perhaps—is
in a region of silence, whereas they
are immersed in a flood of sound.

MONARCH A MEAN NEIGHBOR

Sennacherib, Ancient Ruler of Egypt,
Evidently a Bully of the
Highest Order.

Going about knocking down other
king's cities when they failed to "kiss
his feet," was one of the playful habits
of Sennacherib, ruler of Egypt some
two thousand years ago, according to
cuneiform tablets just placed on ex-
hibition at the University of Chicago.
Sennacherib kept a "diary" of his
"playful habits." The big stone slabs
were brought to the United States,
with other records of ancient Egypt,
by Prof. James H. Breasted. "In my
third campaign I marched against the
land of Hatti (Palestine)," said Sen-
nacherib in his "diary." "The kings
of the west land brought rich gifts be-
fore me for the fourth time and kissed
my feet." "Hezekiah, the Judean, who
had not submitted to my yoke, I be-
sieged and took 46 of his strong-walled
cities, together with countless small
cities, by assault of battering rams
and siege engines, attack by foot sol-
diers and by mines and breaches. I
captured some two hundred thousand
people, some small and great, men and
women, oxen and innumerable sheep."
"Hezekiah himself I shut up in Je-
rusalem like a caged bird." Other
tablets showed that Sennacherib had
a Cheops "jazz band," a dromedary
"toddle" and desert "home brew."

Note Was Misleading.

At the head of a large business con-
cern in Muncie is a very pompous man,
who not only is very careful of his
dignity but inclined to irritability if
things do not go exactly right with
him. Wishing to attend to some corre-
spondence and having been troubled
much of the day by visitors he placed
a note on the outside of his private
office door the other day which read:
"Mr. Blank cannot be disturbed."
A collector soon afterward ap-
peared at the door of the private of-
fice, walked past the secretary, read
the note and strode in, but soon came
out the door much more rapidly than
he had entered.
"Didn't you read the note?" the sec-
retary asked of the disheveled col-
lector.
"I read it," the latter admitted, "but
I didn't believe it and went in to flag
out. I discovered that I was right, for
he can be and was."—Indianapolis
News.

Library of Congress Ranks Third.

The collection of the library of con-
gress is the largest in the western
hemisphere, and third in the world.
It comprises over 2,710,500 printed
books and pamphlets (including the
law library, which, while a division
of the library of congress, still re-
mains at the capitol), maps and charts,
pieces of music, and photographs,
prints, engravings and lithographs
numbering about one million. The col-
lection is rich in history, political sci-
ence, in official documents, national,
state and foreign, and in Americana,
including important files of American
newspapers and original manuscripts
(colonial, revolutionary and formative
periods). Many rare books and manu-
scripts belonging to the library are
exhibited in show cases on the second
floor.

Nation Without Language.

Switzerland has no language of its
own. The official languages of Swit-
zerland are French, Italian and Ger-
man, all three being recognized as the
"mother tongue" of the majority of the
inhabitants.

A majority of the people speak Ger-
man, while the others use French and
Italian, varying as a rule according to
the proximity of the people to each
country whose language they speak.

Public documents and notices are
printed in the French and German lan-
guages. In the Swiss national parlia-
ment the members make their speeches
either in French or German, the mem-
bers being as familiar with one lan-
guage as the other.

Statements from the president of
Switzerland are furnished to the news-
papers in both languages.

Calgary's Name.

The city of Calgary, Alberta, re-
ceived its name in 1876 from Col.
Macleod, then in command of the
royal northwest mounted police at
that point. He named it after his
old home, Calgary, a small estate on
the Isle of Mull, Scotland.

SOCIETY NEWS

Margaret C. Shelton—Phone Decatur 352

VISITORS ENTERTAINED

Last evening Miss Edna Aycock en-
tertained delightfully with a moon-
light picnic in honor of her visitors,
Misses Ruth Frahn, Dayton, Ohio;
Margaret Young, Cullman; Dorothy
Aycock, Atlanta, Ga.; Leola Frahn,
Osborne, Ohio and Rose Almon Scott,
of Nashville, Tennessee.

After enjoying the outing they re-
turned to the home of Mr. and Mrs.
J. W. Frahn on Moulton Street and
enjoyed dancing until a late hour.

Among the guests were: Misses
Ethel Adams, Pauline Dunnivant, Lil-
lian Aycock, Leola Frahn, Margaret
Frahm, Rose Almon Scott, Hettie Ay-
cock, Helen Aycock, Ruth Frahn and
Margaret Young, Messrs. Lawrence
and B. C. Frahn, Lewis Ling, Dun-
lap Alexander, Robert Warren, Doug-
las Anderson, Claude Aycock, Jeff.
Eyster, James Edward, Clarence Lam-
mon, Leo Humphrey and William
Wear.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Aycock and
Mrs. J. W. Frahn chaperoned the
party.

Mrs. R. L. Parsons left last night for
Colorado Springs to spend the winter
with her daughter.

Miss Margaret Frahn will enter-
tain with a dance tonight at her home
on E. Moulton St., honoring her house
guests, Misses Ruth Frahn, of Day-
ton, Ohio, Leola Frahn, of Osborn,
Ohio, and Margaret Young of Cull-
man.

Mrs. J. J. Burke gave a party last
night at her home on East Walnut
street for her sons, John and Ed-
ward, who returned recently from
Bell Buckle, Tenn., where they at-
tended summer school. The recep-
tion rooms were beautifully de-
corated with potted plants and baskets
and vases of cut flowers. Dancing
was one of the enjoyable features.
Punch was served during the eve-
ning and at a late hour ice cream
sandwiches were served. About sixty
enjoyed this event.

Miss Hooker who has been at-
tending a house party in Mobile, is
the guest of Miss Maria Evelyn Cal-
vin, en route to her home in North
Carolina.

Miss Maria Evelyn Calvin has re-
turned from a ten days visit to a
camp near Hardy, Ark. Miss Calvin
also visited friends in Memphis.

Mrs. J. H. Calvin entertained Wed-
nesday evening with an informal din-
ner party for Miss Calvin's visitor,
Miss Hooker, at her home on Ferry
street. Covers were laid for eight
at the beautifully appointed table
which was centered with a bowl of
summer flowers. The guest list in-
cluded Misses Hooker and Annie B.
Malone, Messrs. Asbury Malone, Joe
Woods, Bonnie B. Brown and Jack-
son Calvin, and Mr. and Mrs. J. H.
Calvin.

Miss Pauline Royer, who had her
tonsils removed this week, is recover-
ing rapidly.

Mrs. B. M. Brown is visiting friends
in Birmingham. She will also visit in
Montgomery before returning home.

Miss Evelyn DeWeese and Joe De-
Weese arrived today from Somerset,
Ky., to be the guests of their aunt,
Mrs. Raymond Brown.

Miss Pearl Haynes is the guest of
relatives in Shelbyville, Tenn.

Mrs. A. E. Dooley and grand-
daughter, Elizabeth Dooley, of Knox-
ville, will arrive today to be the guests
of Mr. and Mrs. D. D. McGehee on
East Vine street.

Miss Anabel Moyer, of Macon, Ga.,
arrived today to be the guest of Mrs.
J. R. Daniell.

Miss Mary Daniell is expected to
return today from Atlanta, Ga., where
she has been visiting her grand-
mother, Mrs. J. S. Daniell, for the
past week.

Mrs. McWilliams, of New Orleans,
La., is visiting her mother, Mrs. B.
Phinizy.

Miss Leola Frahn of Osborn, O.,
arrived today to be the guest of Miss
Margaret Frahn.

Miss Hilda Polytsky of Hartselle,
is the guest of relatives and friends in
the Twin Cities.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Davidson have
been called to Athens, Ga., an account
of the death of Mr. Davidson's mother.

Mrs. Roy Strane, who has been at
the Benevolent Hospital for several
days, is expected to undergo an op-
eration there today.

WEBB-GOLEMAN

An announcement that will be of
interest to their many friends here is
that of the marriage of Miss Ruby
Goleman to Edgar Webb on Tuesday
afternoon at 4 o'clock at the Court-
house. Judge Troup performed the
ceremony.

Mr. and Mrs. Webb, after a short
trip, will make their home in De-
catu.

Members of the Westminster Pres-
byterian Sunday school enjoyed a
picnic this afternoon in hospital
grove. A large number were pres-
ent.

Thursday evening Miss Alma
Hauk entertained at her home on
5th Avenue West for Miss Luther
Lee and her guest, Miss Alma Koe-
ster, of St. Louis. Refreshments were
served during the evening. Those
present were Misses Alma Koester,
Alma Hauk, Luther Lee, Marguerite
and Naomi Weigand, Marie and Mar-
guerite Pappenburg, Stella Zimme-
ster, Louise Holtman, Emily Schneider,
Louise and Teresa Ellner, Helen Ne-
brig, Edward Norwood and Jack
Pirtle.

Miss Margaret Grayson and Miss
Frances Grayson of Mobile, who have
been visiting in Guntersville, will ar-
rive tonight to visit Dr. and Mrs. A.
T. Grayson.

Misses Margarette and Frances
Bowen Grayson of Mobile, are visit-
ing Dr. and Mrs. A. T. Grayson on
Grant Street.

Mrs. L. W. Crenshaw left yesterday
for Birmingham where she joins the
Elliott tourist party for Savannah,
where she embarks for New York.
thence to Philadelphia, Atlantic City,
Niagara Falls, Washington, returning
via Cincinnati.

Mr. and Mrs. Burns Kelly of Hunts-
ville arrived today to be the guests
of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hartung.

Miss Mabel Hartung returned today
from a visit to Huntsville.

Mrs. Robert Lee Todd, of Montgom-
ery, is visiting her sisters, Mrs. F. C.
Brown and Mrs. H. T. Gill.

Mrs. Sam Armstrong, of Birming-
ham, is spending a few days with
Mrs. Z. Trimble on Church street.

How It Started

THE REAPING MACHINE.

ALTHOUGH we are accustomed to
regard reaping by machinery as a
modern art, there are records that
in Pliny's time the Gauls used a crude
comb-shaped affair of knives to strip
the heads from the standing grain.
The first real patent on a reaping ma-
chine was granted to John Boyce of
England in 1700. Richard French
and J. J. Hawkins received the first
American patent rights in 1803. But
it remained for McCormick, in 1831,
to make and demonstrate the first
practical reaping machine.

(Copyright.)

The Moor in Spain.

The Moors sprang from Saracens,
that nomadic tribe of Arabs, which in
the eighth century overran southern
Spain. They settled under the genial
skies of Andalusia and found their
surroundings so ideal they were con-
tented to leave the northern portion
of the country to the natives. It was
galling to the Spaniards to behold his
beautiful valleys and vineyards in the
possession of the invaders and to see
the crescent take the place of the
cross; but, although much blood was
shed in the interim, it was not until
the fifteenth century that Boabdil, the
Moorish king, took his last look at
Granada on the spot that has been
practically named "El Ultimo Sople-
del Moro," the last sigh of the Moor.



Drink Seneca Springs Water and
keep well.—Adv.

BATTLE FOLLOWS WILD "PARTIES"

(International News Service)

NEW ORLEANS, Aug. 19.—In a
battle staged between residents of
Bucktown, a resort on Lake Ponchar-
train in Jefferson county, and taxi
cab drivers of New Orleans, fought
near midnight, several of the Jeffer-
son parish people were hurt, as well
as the drivers.

The people objected to the drivers
bringing women and men there and
because of several robberies since
they started travelling there.

For sometime Bucktown has been
an oasis in the dry desert of New
Orleans and wild revelling has taken
place at night, until the people de-
cided to take summary action and
drove the drivers away.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Nungester, and
family, are visiting relatives in Ohio.

S. H. Wilds has returned from a
visit to relatives in Auburn, Ala.

John Sparkman, of Tuscaloosa and
Miss Gladys Sparkman, of Hartselle
are the guests of their brother, Her-
man C. Sparkman, West Albany.

H. E. Hicks, of Kansas City is
visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W.
J. Hicks.

Uncle Charlie's Whistle.

Anna and her mother often go to
see her aunt and uncle. Her uncle
plays a clarinet, of which she is much
afraid. When she sees him reach for
it she takes hold of her mother's hand
and says, "Come home, mamma,
Uncle Charlie is going to blow him's
whistle."

Jud Tunkins.

Jud Tunkins says a man's noblest
and most philanthropic efforts often
fall to attract as much attention
among his friends as the fact that he
has bought a new hat.

McLELLAN'S

ANNIVERSARY SALE

Special Saturday

25c Towels	15c
15c Children's Sox, pr.	10c
20c Canvas Gloves, pr.	10c
75c Mavis Face Powder	50c
25c Double Mesh Hair nets	10c
10c Fortuna Hair nets	5c
10c Silk Thread	5c
25c Stamped Pillow Tops	10c
10c Fortuna Hair nets	15c
25c and 50c Men's Ties	10c

Fresh Candy

Rub-My-Tism is a great pain kil-
ler. Relieves pain and soreness,
Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Sprains, etc.
(Adv.)

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PRIVATE SCHOOL

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At her home, 720 Line Street
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All you can drink for 5c at Drug
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Now Is the Time to Get Rid of These
Ugly Spots.

There's no longer the slightest need
of feeling ashamed of your freckles,
as Othine—double strength—is guar-
anteed to remove these homely spots.

Simply get an ounce of Othine—
double strength—from any druggist
and apply a little of it night and
morning and you should soon see that
even the worst freckles have begun to
disappear, while the lighter ones have
vanished entirely. It is seldom that
more than an ounce is needed to com-
pletely clear the skin and gain a
beautiful clear complexion.

Be sure to ask for the double
strength Othine as this is sold under
guarantee of money back if it fails to
remove freckles.—Adv.

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Why bake when you can buy high
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A story of night life in New York, and a
girl who nearly paid. You will be
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EUGENE O'BRIEN

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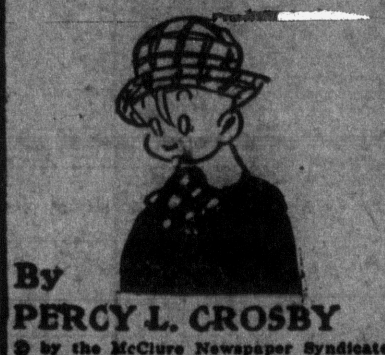
"IS LIFE WORTH LIVING"

A Story from the Saturday Evening Post.
"BROKE", Out of Luck, most of us have asked
"Is Life Worth Living"

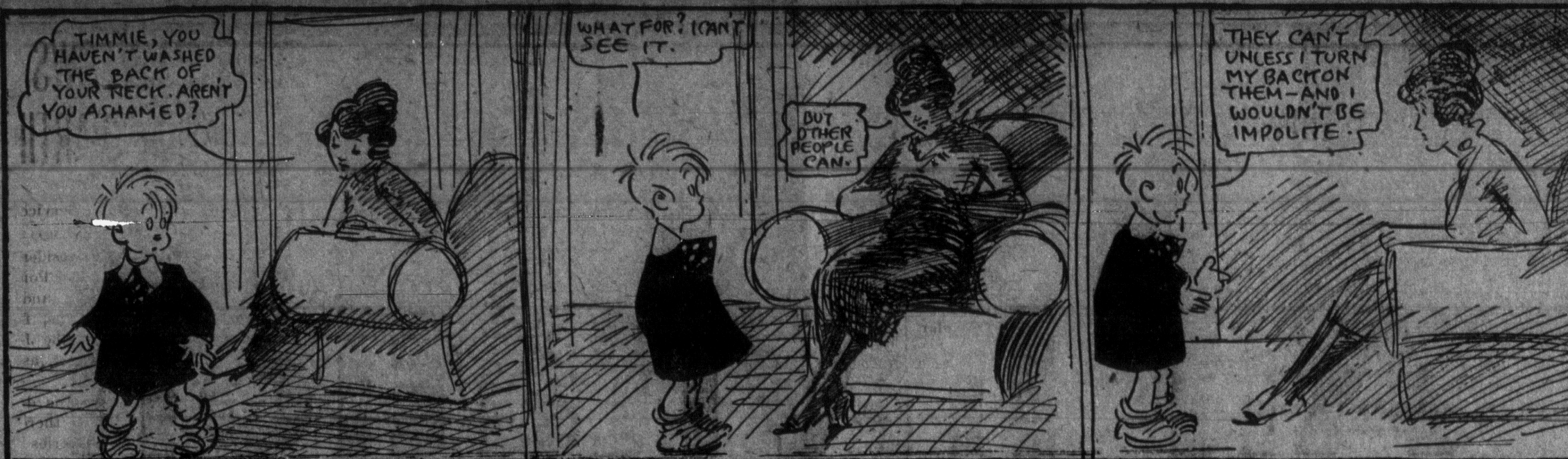
COME—SEE THE ANSWER

The Clancy Kids

Timmie's a Sticker for Form



By PERCY L. CROSBY
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Said Can't Be Done

"My experience with doctors and medicines caused me to lose faith in both, and when a friend told me that Mayr's Wonderful Remedy would cure my stomach trouble I told him 'it can't be done.' However, he finally persuaded me to try it and to my surprise it did. All symptoms of acute indigestion and gas having disappeared." It is a simple, harmless preparation that removes the catarrhal mucus from the intestinal tract and allays the inflammation which causes practically all stomach, liver and intestinal ailments, including appendicitis. One dose will convince or money refunded. At all druggists.—Adv.

McLELLAN'S ANNIVERSARY SALE

25c Children's Hose pr 15c
5c Envelopes 2 packages 5c
5c Alut Tea Spoons, 2 5c
10c Alut Table Spoons 5c
25c Knives and Forks 15c
Special Lace and Ribbon



No matter what kind of battery is in your car we will make it last as long as possible until you are ready to replace it with a new Exide—the long-life battery

Harris Motors Company
Decatur, Ala.

DALE COUNTY TO CONSTRUCT ROADS

(Montgomery Bureau, Albany-Decatur Daily.)

MONTGOMERY, Ala., August 19.—Plans are being made for the starting of the road construction program in Dale county without delay. C. N. Mitcham, division engineer of the highway commission, today stated that Dale county has sold \$150,000 in highway bonds which the voters recently authorized and was prepared to match a similar amount by the state and federal government.

In addition to the construction of through roads, Dale county proposes to reconstruct several important roads which will lead to the through roads, thus giving the entire county the benefit of the bond issue.

Possibility of Another Ice Age.

A succession of such eruptions as that of the Mt. Katmai volcano in Alaska in June, 1912, would plunge the earth into another ice age by reducing the sun's temperature to a low degree on earth, Dr. Robert E. Griggs said before the American Association for Advancement of Science.

And There You Have It

Elizabeth, when asked the ages of her two brothers, answered, "I am bigger than the littlest one and smaller than the biggest one."

Announcement

"THE LEADER" has received a big lot of Fall Dresses in the newest styles made of all wool Tricotine, all wool Serge and Taffetas. The newest creation of new styles is shown in our store at wonderful low prices.

SPECIAL FOR SATURDAY AND ALL NEXT WEEK

A \$35.00 Dress, made of all wool tricotine in assorted styles, Special Sale price, \$19.95
\$25.00 Tricotine Dresses, assorted styles, Special Sale price, \$14.95
\$15.00 all wool French Serge, trimmed in embroidery and plain, Special Sale price, \$9.95
A big line of Middy Suits for Misses and Children, sizes from six to twenty-two, all wool, Serge, Sale price, \$8.95

New Millinery of Latest Styles at Popular Prices

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Albany, Alabama. CAPITAL, \$200,00.00 SURPLUS, \$40,000.00

New York Letter

by Lucy Jeanne Price



NEW YORK, August 19.—We are getting to know South America a great deal better than we used to; but a large part of our knowledge still consists in what we glean about exporting opportunities there or how great a boon their millionaires are to our New York jewelers and costumers. I was interested in another side the other night. Summer concerts at one of our big universities draw a big patronage but from very much the definitely musical people. But it happened that a Brazilian warship was in our harbor that week, and there came several hundred, not only of their officers but of the "common" sailors, radiating their enjoyment of the music, which was not at all of the "popular" kind. Evidently they had been there on a previous evening for they brought a great basket of flowers decorated with American and Brazilian flags as a gift to the director.

rent, and electricity.
A dozen or more woman employers in the city have decided to stand by the bobbed-hair section of their sex to the point of employing them whenever there is a vacancy in their offices and a bobbed-hair girl comes along who is as good worker as though she had long coils trailed around her head. "It's either masculine absurdity," they say, "or else their wives have decided it's the more frivolous ones who go in for that sort of thing and are directing the hiring and firing of them. Neither reason exists to keep a nice, capable bobbed-head out of our offices."

AUBURN NEWS

AUBURN, Ala., Aug. 19 (Special)

A new "Merry Widow" will appear this season in the revival of that one-time best-seller among musical comedies. It is Mme. Lydia Lipkowska, a young Russian prima donna whose other work in this country has been with the Metropolitan Grand Opera Company. This will be her first experience in light opera. It was at a charity performance in Vienna that she first sang the "Merry Widow" role and she cancelled a contract with the Chicago Opera Company to stick to the lighter part.

College girls are no longer taking it for granted that they are to become school teachers, librarians, or other of those parts in life which once held the floor as the only ones for women whose minds were trained along intellectual lines. A recent investigation by one of the Vassar College alumnae proved that graduates of that institution were found in practically every one of the large department stores in New York, usually in the advertising departments, but often as buyers of art goods or heads of the personnel bureaus, and that they were numerous, too, among the personal secretaries to financiers, and in banking and bond houses, while hardly any profession or high class business was without them. "Do we like women college graduates?" repeated one merchant. "We like them so well that we have a special group of them being trained for our business all the time, ready to place them in whatever branch of work they are best fitted for. And they seem fitted for pretty nearly all of it. Three Vassar girls are in that little group right now, all ready to take good managerial positions. They are well balanced, sane girls, every one of them."

vertiser just \$9,000 a month for space. One of the big electric advertising signs on Times Square costs the ad-

RETURN OF WHIPPING POST ADVOCATED IF FAIRNESS IS ASSURED

DENVER, Aug. 19.—Back to the whipping post? Judge Lewis L. Fawcett, of the Supreme Court of Brooklyn, N. Y., recently recommended the whipping post as proper punishment for certain types of criminals.

Although the primary object of penal law is the protection of society and not the punishment of the criminal, the Brooklyn judge's theory finds lodgment in the convictions of two well-known Colorado judges.

Magistrate William A. Rice, veteran local police judge, feels that the whipping post might be used effectively for offenders of the wife-beating and non-family-supporting type, but says such a law should be hedged about by a guarantee that the accused receive a fair and impartial trial. He says women are prone to make charges when they themselves are often participants of criminal conditions in the home.

Judge Royal R. Graham, of Greeley, feels that the whipping post is all right for wife-beaters, but believes the ordinary offenders should tackle the States rock piles—not in competition with ordinary labor, but in work that helps the State.

INTEREST HIGH IN INSPECTION OF DAM

(Sheffield Standard)

Next Thursday morning, August 25th, at ten o'clock, a special train from Albany will reach Sheffield. It is estimated that from 200 to 300 people will compose the party.

The trip has been arranged by the Albany Chamber of Commerce, and is for the purpose of giving the people of that section an opportunity of inspecting the Nitrate Plants and Wilson Dam.

W. W. Rahm, president of the Albany Chamber of Commerce, advises The Standard that "the Boosters are coming 300 strong, accompanied by a 25-piece brass band."

Upon arrival special street cars will be in waiting to convey the visitors to Plant No. 2. After an inspection of the plant the cars will bring the visitors back to the city for lunch. All cafes, in the city, it is understood, will be prepared to serve a special lunch at a price of 50 cents. Following the lunch, the band will give a thirty-minute band concert. At the conclusion of the concert the party will be taken to the South-side of Wilson Dam, where the visitors will get a view of the work.

Returning from the dam the crowd will attend the ball game between the Tri-Cities and Albany-Decatur. After the game the visitors will leave for home on their special train.

Listen to Rahm Rave

President Rahm, aside from his business activities is one of the finest citizens of the progressive City of Albany. He is also a dyed-in-the-wool, stem-winding, name-blow-in-the-bottle, self-starting base ball fan. Just listen:

"Besides the 25-piece brass band and North Alabama Boosters, we have the greatest contingent of base ball rooters that ever passed through the turn stiles of any base ball park."

Going to Stay a Long Time

President Rahm further says: "After we win this game, we immediately leave for home."

We take it that the visitors will stay with us a long time, if they stay until they win that ball game.

Local Committee

President Archer, of the Sheffield Chamber of Commerce, will name a local reception committee and every thing will be done to aid the visitors in carrying out their plans.

Decatur Gun Club Scores

The following scores were made at the Decatur Gun Club yesterday.

	Shot	Broke
Wyker	100	96
Long	100	72
Tillery	100	91
Markstein	100	90
Schnur	100	94
McDuff	75	63
Shackelford	75	70
Ramage	50	45
George, Jr.	50	41
Stinson	50	47
Walker	25	20
George Sr.	25	18
McQuire	25	9

Soviet Agrees to American Wishes

(International News Service)

RIGA, August 19.—Negotiations between Walter Brown, director of the relief administration in Europe and the Soviet government have been concluded. Director Brown said he was ready to deliver 30,000 tons of foodstuff in the famine district the first month, increasing the shipment later on.

The Soviet government has issued notice that all Americans are now free to leave Russia immediately.

Zinc chloride on timber restrains fungus growth.

The native Britons offered up human sacrifices.

Drink Seneca Springs Water and keep well.—Adv.

In Earlier Days

In former times, when the town butcher or farmer himself dressed and cured the meat for the community, he could not always tell how it would turn out.

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CONDENSED STATEMENT OF

The

Central National Bank

Albany, Ala.
(Comptroller's Call)

AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS, JUNE 30TH, 1921

RESOURCES	LIABILITIES
Loans and Discounts.....\$515,742.23	Capital Stock.....\$200,000.00
Overdrafts.....66.87	Surplus.....40,000.00
Liberty and Victory Bonds 70,254.42	Undivided Profits 11,424.34
U. S. Bonds.....200,000.00	Dividend Account 8,062.50
Other Bonds.....2,000.00	Circulation 191,700.00
Premium on Bonds.....5,315.63	Reserved for Taxes 1,350.00
% Redemption Fund.....10,000.00	Unearned Interest 4,669.89
Stock in Fed Res. Bank 7,200.00	Bills Payable 15,000.00
Furniture and Fixtures.....16,744.17	Deposits 491,985.79
Accrued Interest.....3,037.27	
Real Estate owned.....823.10	
Other Assets.....18,283.50	
Cash and due from Banks 114,725.13	
Total.....\$964,192.32	Total.....\$964,192.32

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